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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Syde A. Taheri  
Appl. No. : 10/754,919  
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For : TEMPORARY ABSORBABLE  
VENOUS OCCLUSIVE STENT  
AND SUPERFICIAL VEIN  
TREATMENT METHOD  
Examiner : Sarah K. Webb  
Group Art Unit : 3731

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**AMENDMENT**

**Mail Stop RCE**

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-reference application as noted herein.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.